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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
Toshimitsu KONUMA et al.)
Serial No.: 08/698,204)
Filed: August 14, 1996)
For: ELECTRO-OPTICAL DEVICE)

Group Art Unit: 2871

Examiner: Kenneth Parker

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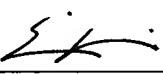
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 16, 1999, Applicants hereby elect the species of Group 5, Figure 6 for initial examination in this application. Claims 13-15, 18-22 and 24-46 read on the elected species and no claim is generic to all of the species outlined in the Office Action.

Respectfully submitted,

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